

What is claimed is:

Sub B1 1. A tool ¹⁰ for adjusting the position of ¹⁴ a set of support wheels for a floor edger, the edger having a rotatable disk with a support surface ³² for supporting a sanding element, the tool comprising;

³⁴ a body, the body having a leading end, a mid-portion and a trailing end; ³⁸ ⁴⁰

⁴² a leading gage surface, the leading gage surface being mounted from the leading end of the body; ⁴⁴ ³⁸

⁴⁶ an angle gage surface, the angle gage surface being mounted from the body at a location between the leading end of the body and the trailing end of the body; and

¹⁰ a pair of wheel setting surfaces, the wheel setting surfaces being spaced apart from one another and mounted from the trailing end of the body, the leading gage surface and the angle gage surface ⁵² lying along a support plane, and said pair of wheel setting surfaces lying on a wheel plane, the wheel plane being at wheel support distance from the support plane.

2. A tool according to claim 1 wherein said body comprises a V-shaped frame, said V-shaped frame being defined by a pair of legs joined at an angle to one another near a vertex point, each of the legs having a first end and a second end, the first ends of the legs being closest to one another near the vertex point, the vertex point being near the leading end of said body, the second end of said legs defining the trailing end of said body.

3. A tool according to claim 1 wherein said body comprises a V-shaped frame, said V-shaped frame being defined by a pair of legs joined to one another near a vertex point, each of the legs having a first end and a second end, the first ends of the legs being closest to one another near the vertex point, the vertex point being near the leading end of said body, the second end of said legs defining the trailing end of said body.

4. A tool according to claim 1 wherein said angle gage surface is mounted from said body at a distance from said body.

5. A tool according to claim 4 wherein said distance is adjustable.

6. A tool according to claim 2 wherein said legs are of adjustable length.

7. A tool for adjusting the position of a pair of support wheels for a floor edger the edger having a casing that includes wheel supports, the edger further having a rotatable disk with a support surface for supporting a sanding element, the rotatable disk being supported at a sanding angle to a floor to be sanded, the angle being defined by the position of the wheels relative to the casing, the tool comprising:

a body, the body having a leading end, a mid-portion and a

trailing end;

a leading gage surface, the leading gage surface being mounted from the leading end of the body;

an angle gage surface, the angle gage surface being mounted from the body at a location between the leading end of the body and the trailing end of the body; and

a pair of wheel setting surfaces, the wheel setting surfaces being spaced apart from one another and mounted from the trailing end of the body, the leading gage surface and the angle gage surface lying along a support plane, and said pair of wheel setting surfaces lying on a wheel plane, the wheel plane being at a tool angle to the support plane, the tool angle being equal to the sanding angle.

8. A tool according to claim 7 wherein said body comprises a V-shaped frame, said V-shaped frame being defined by a pair of legs joined at an angle to one another near a vertex point, each of the legs having a first end and a second end, the first ends of the legs being closest to one another near the vertex point, the vertex point being near the leading end of said body, the second end of said legs defining the trailing end of said body.

9. A tool according to claim 7 wherein said angle gage surface is mounted from said body at a distance from said body.

10. A tool according to claim 9 wherein said distance is

adjustable.

11. A tool according to claim 8 wherein said legs are of adjustable length.

Substantive
12. A method for adjusting the position of a pair of support wheels on a floor edger, the edger having a rotatable disk with a support surface for supporting a sanding element and a housing supporting a pair of adjustable wheels, the wheels cooperating with the rotatable disk to support the floor edger while the edger is in operation, the rotatable disk having a perimeter and a center, the method comprising:

providing a tool comprising:

a body, the body having a leading end, a mid-portion and a trailing end;

a leading gage surface, the leading gage surface being mounted from the leading end of the body;

an angle gage surface, the angle gage surface being mounted from the body at a location between the leading end of the body and the trailing end of the body; and

a pair of wheel setting surfaces, the wheel setting surfaces being spaced apart from one another and mounted from the trailing end of the body, the leading gage surface and the angle gage surface lying along a support plane, and said pair of wheel setting surfaces lying on a wheel plane, the wheel plane being at wheel support distance to the support

plane;

placing the leading gage surface against the support surface of the disk at a location near the perimeter of the disk, urging the gage angle surface against the support surface of the disk; and adjusting the wheels by moving the wheels until the wheels are tangent to the wheel setting surfaces.

13. A method according to claim 12 wherein said body comprises a V-shaped frame, said V-shaped frame being defined by a pair of legs joined to one another near a vertex point, each of the legs having a first end and a second end, the first ends of the legs being closest to one another near the vertex point, the vertex point being near the leading end of said body, the second end of said legs defining the trailing end of said body.

14. A method according to claim 12 wherein said angle gage surface is mounted from said body at a distance from said body.

15. A method according to claim 14 wherein said distance is adjustable.

16. A method according to claim 13 wherein said legs are of adjustable length.